GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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REPORT OF NATIONAL SAMPLE SURVEY ORGANISATION
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Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether 19 per cent population of the country is subsisting at mere Rs. 12 per day, as per the report of the National Sample Survey Organisation;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government is taking any concrete step in this regard; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE), MINISTRY OF COAL AND STATISTICS & PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION(SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a)&(b) A s per NSS Report No. 523 entitled "Household Consumer Expenditure in India, 2005-06" based on NSS 62nd round conducted during July 2005 -June 2006, the percentage of rural population with daily per capita expenditure of about Rs.12 is 18.7% at all India level.

This percentage is further reduced to 12.7% as per NSS 63rd round survey conducted during July 2006 -June 2007.

The State-wise details of such population for some selected states during 2005-06 and 2006-07 are given at ANNEX-I

(c &d) Some of the centrally sponsored schemes which are implemented by the government for rural and urban poverty alleviation are mentioned below:

Name of the scheme Sponsoring Ministry

National Rural Employment Guarantees Act(NREGA)

Swarnjayanti Gram Swarojgar Yojana (SGSY)

Indira Awas Yojna (IAY)

Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY)

District Rural Development Agency (DRDA)Administration Ministry of Rural Development

Integrated Wastelands Management Programme(IWMP)

National Rural Drinking Water Programme(NRDWP)

Total Sanitation Campaign(TSC)

Swarn Jayanti Shahari Rojgar Yojana (SJSRY) Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation

ANNEX-I

State	percentage of rural population with MPCE below Rs.365 (~ Rs.12 per day)	
	(in 2005-06)	(in 2006-07)
Orissa	44.4	43.0
Chhattisgarh	44.1	25.6
Madhya Pradesh	33.6	23.7
Jharkhand	31.8	20.7
Bihar	29.6	16.5
Uttar Pradesh	19.8	13.0
Karnataka	18.8	12.5
West Bengal	18.3	12.0
Tamil Nadu	16.2	8.2
Andhra Pradesh	13.2	11.0
Gujarat	10.5	4.3
Maharashtra	10.2	7.5

Assam 9.1 8.0

Rajasthan 8.7 4.7

Haryana 7.0 1.3

Kerala 3.5 1.8

Punjab 2.1 0.2

All-India 18.7 12.7